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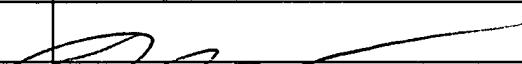
Application Number	09/981,320
Filing Date	October 16, 2001
First Named Inventor	Kenneth H. Abbott
Art Unit	2173
Examiner Name	Namitha Pillai
Attorney Docket No.	890057.406

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Remarks

SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT, ATTORNEY, OR AGENT

Firm Name	Seed Intellectual Property Law Group PLLC	Customer Number 00500
Signature		
Printed Name	James A. D. White	
Date	February 23, 2006	Reg. No. 43,985

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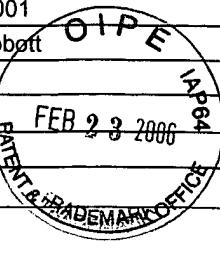
Fees pursuant to the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2005 (H.R. 4818).

FEE TRANSMITTAL for FY 2006

Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT **(\$760)**

<i>Complete if Known</i>	
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METHOD OF PAYMENT (check all that apply)

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For the above-identified deposit account, the Director is hereby authorized to: (check all that apply)

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 of fee(s) under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17

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FEE CALCULATION (All the fees below are due upon filing or may be subject to a surcharge.)

1. BASIC FILING, SEARCH, AND EXAMINATION FEES

	FILING FEES		SEARCH FEES		EXAMINATION FEES		
	<u>Small Entity</u>		<u>Small Entity</u>		<u>Small Entity</u>		
<u>Application Type</u>	<u>Fee (\$)</u>	<u>Fee (\$)</u>	<u>Fee (\$)</u>	<u>Fee (\$)</u>	<u>Fee (\$)</u>	<u>Fee (\$)</u>	<u>Fees Paid (\$)</u>
Utility	300	150	500	250	200	100	_____
Design	200	100	100	50	130	65	_____
Provisional	200	100	0	0	0	0	_____

2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES

Fee Description

	<u>Small Entity</u>
	<u>Fee (\$)</u>
	<u>Fee (\$)</u>
Each claim over 20 (including Reissues)	50 25
Each independent claim over 3 (including Reissues)	200 100
Multiple dependent claims	360 180

<u>Total Claims</u>	<u>Extra Claims</u>	<u>Fee (\$)</u>	<u>Fee Paid (\$)</u>	<u>Multiple Dependent Claims</u>
<u>-20 or HP =</u>	<u>X</u>	<u>=</u>		<u>Fee (\$)</u>
				<u>Fee (\$)</u>

HP = highest number of total claims paid for, if greater than 20

<u>Indep. Claims</u>	<u>Extra Claims</u>	<u>Fee (\$)</u>	<u>Fee Paid (\$)</u>
<u>-3 or HP =</u>	<u>X</u>	<u>=</u>	

HP = highest number of independent claims paid for, if greater than 3

3. APPLICATION SIZE FEE

If the specification and drawings exceed 100 sheets of paper (excluding electronically filed sequence or computer listings under 37 CFR 1.52(e)) the application size fee due is \$250 (\$125 for small entity) for each additional 50 sheets or fraction thereof. See 35 U.S.C. 41(a)(1)(G) and 37 CFR 1.16(s).

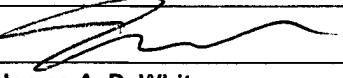
<u>Total Sheets</u>	<u>Extra Sheets</u>	<u>Number of each additional 50 or fraction thereof</u>	<u>Fee (\$)</u>	<u>Fee Paid (\$)</u>
<u>-100 =</u>	<u>/50 =</u>	<u>(round up to a whole number)</u>	<u>x</u>	

4. OTHER FEE(S)

Non-English Specification, \$130 fee (no small entity discount)

Other (e.g., late filing surcharge): Notice of Appeal Fee 250
3 Mo. Extension of Time Fee 510

SUBMITTED BY

Signature		Registration No. (Attorney/Agent)	43,985	Telephone	206-622-4900
Name (Print/Type)	James A. D. White		Date	February 23, 2006	